IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Kazuhiro TAKAHASHI, et al.	: Examiner: Ishrati Sherali): Group Art Unit: 2621)
Application No.: 10/645,672	
Filed: August 22, 2003	;)
For: IMAGE TRANSMISSION APPARATUS AND METHOD THEREFOR	:) :) December 16, 2005

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SIXTH INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of each of the listed documents is enclosed.

REMARKS

The following documents were cited in a Japanese Official Action of a foreign counterpart application corresponding to the above-referenced application:

Document (1) JP-A 04-35586 A;

Document (2) JP-A 06-133298 A;

Document (3) JP-A 07-322256 A; and

Document (4) JP-A 08-214222 A.

The concise explanation of relevance of these documents is found in the attached English-

language Abstracts for each of the Japanese documents. In addition, in the Official Action,

the Examiner states "The document 2 discloses that when motion is discriminated, a

motion vector detected from a specific area is removed as an invalid vector or is provided

with less weight. The other documents 1, 3 and 4 disclose to detect motion from an area

positioned substantially at a center of a picture."

FORMAL MATTERS

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CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the

Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such

information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C.

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FORM PTO 1449 (modified) ATTY DOCKET NO. APPLICATION NO. 03500.012242.2 10/645,672 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE APPLICANT LIST OF REFERENCES CITED BY APPLICANT(S) (Use several sheets if necessary) Kazuhiro TAKAHASHI, et al. FILING DATE GROUP Date Submitted in USPTO: December 16, 2005 August 22, 2003 2614 U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS 'EXAMINER INITIAL DOCUMENT NUMBER FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE DATE NAME CLASS SUBCLASS FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS TRANSLATION DOCUMENT NUMBER DATE COUNTRY YES/NO/ OR ABSTRACT **SUBCLASS** CLASS 4-35586 A 02/06/1992 Japan Abstract 6-133298 A 05/13/1994 Japan **Abstract** 7-322256 A 12/08/1995 Japan Abstract 8-214222 A 08/20/1996 Japan **Abstract** OTHER DOCUMENT(S) (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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